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ELASTIC THEORY OF DYNAMIC CRACKS

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These are preliminary lecture notes, intended only for distribution to participants.

The equations of dynamic elasticity (ρ is indep of t)

$$\rho \frac{\partial^2 u_i}{\partial t^2} - \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} \sigma_{ij} = 0 \quad (1)$$

can be obtained as extrema $\delta S = 0$ of the action integral

$$S = \frac{1}{2} \int dt d^3x \left[\rho \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \right)^2 - \sigma_{ij} \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_j} \right]$$

General invariance principles (Noether's theorem), or direct computation from (1) insure that conservation laws hold:

$$\frac{\partial T^{00}}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial T^{0i}}{\partial x^i} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial T^{j0}}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial T^{ji}}{\partial x^i} = 0$$

where

$$T^{00} = \frac{\rho}{2} \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \right)^2 + \frac{1}{2} \sigma_{ij} \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_j} \quad \text{energy density}$$

$$T^{0i} = - \sigma_{ij} \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial t} \quad \text{energy flux}$$

$$T^{i0} = - \rho \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial t} \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial x^i} \quad \text{momentum density}$$

$$T^{ij} = \sigma_{mj} \frac{\partial u^m}{\partial x^i} + \frac{1}{2} \left[\rho \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \right)^2 - \sigma_{mn} \frac{\partial u^m}{\partial x^n} \right] \delta_{ij} \quad \text{momentum flux}$$

is the energy-momentum tensor of elasticity.

See papers by J. Rice & L.B. Freund in "Fundamentals of Deformation & Fracture" Ed. by B. By et al. Cambridge U.P. 1985
GENERAL REFS. R. Thomson in "Solid State Physics" series

1) static case

$$T^i_j = 0$$

non-zero $\frac{d\sigma}{dt}$

$$J^i = \int dS_j T^i_j = 0 \quad \text{for a closed surface that does not enclose a singularity}$$

If there is a singularity, $J^i \neq 0$ in general but it is path-independent

It can be shown (see Thomson) that (unimodular?)

$$J^i = -\nabla_i U \quad \text{energy}$$

the change in elastic energy per unit advance of the singularity alias "the force on the singularity"

a) disloc. $\sigma \sim \frac{1}{r}$ but there is no self force

$$\sigma = \Sigma + \sim \frac{1}{r} \Rightarrow \text{Peach-Koehler}$$

b) crack: $\sigma \sim \frac{1}{\sqrt{r}}$ gives the energy release rate

$$J_i = \frac{\text{mom.}}{\text{time}} = \frac{\text{force}}{\text{length}} = \frac{\text{energy}}{\text{length}}$$

$$T^i_j = \sum_m \frac{\partial u^m}{\partial x^j} \quad \& \quad J_i = \sum_m \int dS_j \frac{\partial u^m}{\partial x^j} \quad \downarrow \quad r \sim b \frac{1}{r}$$

by equation 2

$$\frac{d}{dt} \int_V d^3x \frac{\partial T^{00}}{\partial t} + \int_V d^3x \frac{\partial T^{0i}}{\partial x^i} = 0$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \int d^3x T^{00} = \frac{dE}{dt} = - \int dS^i T^{0i} = 0$$

change of
energy inside
volume V

$$\frac{dE}{dt} = - \int dS^i (T^{00} - v^i T^{0i})$$

↑

equation of motion
is governed by $\frac{1}{r}$ part
of T^{0i}

of crack: coeff. of $\frac{1}{\sqrt{r}}$

a) disloc

So that no inertia ~~result~~ of crack
depends on the coeff. of $\frac{1}{\sqrt{r}}$ ~~then~~ depending on oil
and not on higher time derivatives.

$$\int d^3x \frac{\partial T^{i0}}{\partial t} + \int d^3x \frac{\partial T^{ij}}{\partial x^j} = 0$$

$$\frac{dP^i}{dt} = - \int dS^j (T^{ij} + v^j T^{i0})$$

↑ Force on a moving singular
alias ~~momentum~~ change
in momentum per unit time

Crack dynamics. A: ~~Static~~ Mode III

⚡ We are interested in what goes on near the crack tip.

y
x



In the static case

Notation of (Eshelby in Argon book 1969)

$$\sigma_{zx} = \mu \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} = -\frac{K}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \frac{\sin \theta/2}{\sqrt{r}}$$

$K = K_{III}$

$$\sigma_{zy} = \mu \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} = \frac{K}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \frac{\cos \theta/2}{\sqrt{r}}$$

Note: i) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{r}}$ singularity. Corrections are of order $(\frac{r}{l})$

ii) $\theta = \pm\pi \Rightarrow \sigma_{zy} = 0$
 $\rightarrow$ zero traction across crack surfaces

$\hookrightarrow$ length of crack, only length scale around

$$iii) w = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi\mu}} K \sqrt{r} \sin \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$\Delta w = 2\sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi\mu}} K \sqrt{r}$ discontinuity in displacement behind crack tip.

Dynamics: eqn is now

$$\frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial t^2} - c^2 \left(\frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial y^2} \right) = 0$$

c = shear wave speed

boundary cond: $\tau_{xy}(x,0) = 0 \quad x < \xi(t)$

uniform motion

$$w(x, y, t) = w(\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}, y)$$

$$\frac{y^2}{(1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2})} \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial \tilde{x}^2} + \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial y^2} = 0$$

$$\tilde{x} = \frac{x - vt}{\gamma}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial \tilde{x}^2} + \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial y^2} = 0$$

for a screw disloc boundary cond is

$$\Delta w|_{\tilde{x}=0} = b \quad (\text{Burgers})$$

which is the same as static case

$$\Rightarrow w = \frac{b}{2\pi} \tan^{-1} \frac{y}{\tilde{x}}$$

for a mode III crack

$$\text{note } \sigma_{zx} = \mu \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \text{ s.t. } \mu$$

$$\sigma_{zy} = \mu \frac{\partial w}{\partial y}$$

$$= \frac{\mu}{\gamma} \frac{\partial w}{\partial \tilde{x}}$$

and b.c. is

$$\sigma_{zy}(x, 0) = 0 \quad \tilde{x} < 0$$

in the static case we had

$$r^2 = x^2 + y^2 \quad \theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{y}{x}$$

A moving crack is obtained by a "Lorentz" transfo

$$\tilde{x} = \frac{x - vt}{\sqrt{1 - v^2/c^2}}$$

$$\tilde{y} = y$$

However, as in the static case in which the stress intensity factor K is not determined if the finite length of the crack is not considered, here there is also ^{undetermined} an velocity dependent constant of proportionality. This constant can be fixed in terms of K if we consider a crack that is at rest and starts moving with velocity v at $t=0$ (Eshelby) :

$$K \rightarrow K \left(\frac{1 - v/c}{1 + v/c} \right)^{1/4}$$

to see this :

$$w_0 = B \sqrt{\kappa} \sin \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$$w_v = A(v) \sqrt{\tilde{\kappa}} \sin \frac{\tilde{\theta}}{2}$$

$$\gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - v^2/c^2}}$$

$$\tilde{r} = \sqrt{\tilde{x}^2 + \tilde{y}^2}$$

$$\tilde{\theta} = \text{Arctg} \frac{\tilde{y}}{\tilde{x}}$$

Continuity condition

$$w_v|_{r=ct} = w_0|_{r=ct}$$

$$\omega_{\nu} \Big|_{x=ct} = A(\nu) \left(\frac{1}{\gamma^2} (ct \cos \theta - vt)^2 + c^2 t^2 \sin^2 \theta \right)^{1/4}$$

$$\sin \left(\frac{1}{c} A \nu c t \gamma \left(\frac{ct \sin \theta}{ct \cos \theta - vt} \right) \right)$$

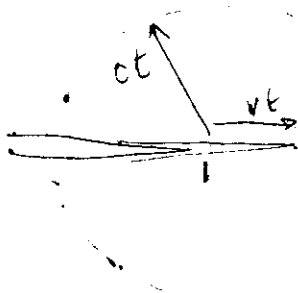
let $\theta \approx 0$

$$\downarrow$$

$$= A(\nu) \left(\frac{1}{\gamma^2} (ct - vt)^2 \right)^{1/4} \approx \frac{ct}{ct - vt}$$

$$= A(\nu) \sqrt{ct} \approx \left(\frac{1 - v/c}{1 + v/c} \right)^{1/4}$$

$$\Rightarrow A(\nu) = B \left(\frac{1 - v/c}{1 + v/c} \right)^{1/2}$$



$\theta \sim$ typical time between ~~and~~ changes in velocity

$$x < ct \sim c \frac{\nu}{A} \sim 1$$

cannot have singularities at a distance < 1

If, at time t_1 $v \rightarrow v_1$, solution is again given by

$$\omega_{\nu_1} = A(\nu_1, \nu) \sqrt{\tilde{r}} \sin \frac{\tilde{\phi}}{2}$$

$$\frac{\tilde{r}}{c} = \frac{(x - vt_1) - v_1(t - t_1)}{\sqrt{1 - v_1^2/c^2}}$$

$$\frac{1 - \frac{v_1 + v_2}{c(1 + \frac{v_1 v_2}{c^2})}}{1 + \frac{v_1 + v_2}{c(1 + \frac{v_1 v_2}{c^2})}} = \frac{c + \frac{v_1 v_2}{c} - v_1 - v_2}{c + \frac{v_1 v_2}{c} + v_1 + v_2}$$

$$\omega_v \Big|_{r=c(t-t_1)} = A(v) \left[\frac{1}{r^2} (c(t-t_1) - vt)^2 \right]^{1/4} \cdot$$

$$\theta \sim 0 \quad \cdot \quad \frac{\theta}{2} \quad \frac{\gamma c(t-t_1)}{c(t-t_1) - vt}$$

$$= A(v) \left[\frac{(c(t-t_1) - vt)^{1/2}}{r^{1/2}} \frac{\gamma c(t-t_1)}{c(t-t_1) - vt} \right] \quad \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$$= A(v) \frac{\gamma^{1/2} c(t-t_1)}{(c(t-t_1) - vt)^{1/2}} \quad \frac{\theta}{2} = B \left(\frac{1 - \frac{v}{c}}{1 + \frac{v}{c}} \right)^{1/4} \frac{(1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2})^{1/4} c(t-t_1)}{(c(t-t_1) - vt)}$$

$$= B (1 - v/c)^{1/2} c(t-t_1) / (c(t-t_1) - vt)$$

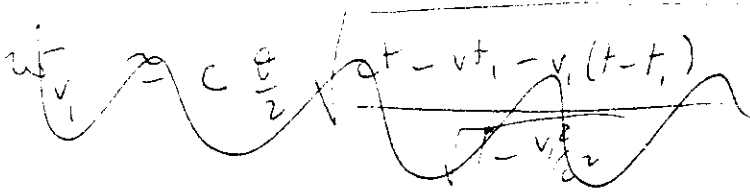
$$\omega_{v_1} = D \sqrt{\hat{r}} \sin \frac{\hat{\theta}}{2}$$

$$\hat{r} = \left(\frac{r \cos \theta - vt_1 - v_1(t-t_1)}{\gamma_1} \right)^2 \quad r_1^2$$

$$\hat{\theta} = \text{Arctg} \frac{\gamma r \sin \theta}{r \cos \theta - vt_1 - v_1(t-t_1)}$$

$$\hat{r} \sim \frac{(c(t-t_1) - vt_1 - v_1(t-t_1))^{1/2}}{\gamma_1^{1/2}} \quad \theta \sim 0$$

$$r = c(t-t_1) \quad \hat{\theta} = \theta \frac{\gamma c(t-t_1)}{c(t-t_1) - vt_1 - v_1(t-t_1)}$$



(46)

$$\psi_{v_1} = D \frac{\epsilon}{2} \left(\frac{c(t-t_1) - vt_1 - v_1(t-t_1)}{r_1} \right)^{1/2} \frac{r_1 c(t-t_1)}{c(t-t_1) - vt_1 - v_1(t-t_1)}$$

$$= D \frac{\epsilon}{2} \frac{r_1^{1/2} c(t-t_1)}{(c(t-t_1) - vt_1 - v_1(t-t_1))^{1/2}}$$

$$D \frac{r_1^{1/2} \epsilon c(t-t_1)}{(c(t-t_1) - vt_1 - v_1(t-t_1))^{1/2}} = B \frac{\epsilon (1 - \frac{v}{c})^{1/2} c(t-t_1)}{(c(t-t_1) - vt_1)^{1/2}}$$

Freund

* J. Mech. Phys. Solids 20 129-140, 141-152 (1972)

Mode I

* in Mech. Today Vol 3 ed. by E. Nemat-Nasser Pergamon 1976

$$\text{Energy Flux} \sim \text{const} \frac{k_{II}^2}{D} \gamma_e$$

~~$$D = 4 \times 3 (1 + \gamma_e)$$~~

$$D = 4 \gamma_s \gamma_e - (1 + \gamma_s^2)^2$$

$$\gamma_s = \sqrt{1 - v^2/c_s^2}$$

$$k_I(v) \xrightarrow{v \rightarrow v_R}$$

$$D=0 \quad \text{val of Rayleigh waves}$$

talk
about 2 ways
if time permit

We want to study crack dynamics when a defect is close (dist $\ll$ to crack tip).

Idea: to use the fact that, mathematically at least, crack "is" a continuous distribution of dislocations.

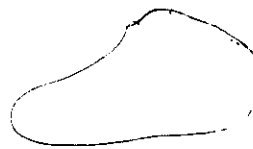
So, first, study dislocation dynamics.

(Mura, Philos. Mag. 8 843 (63))

Solve

$$\rho \frac{\partial^2 u_i}{\partial t^2} - c_{ijkl} \frac{\partial^2 u_k}{\partial x_j \partial x_l} = 0$$

using Green function with $\Delta \vec{u} = \vec{b}$ on slip plane



get

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} &= G * \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} &= G * \end{aligned} \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \text{sources localized on} \\ \text{dislocation loop} \end{array}$$

$$S = \frac{1}{2} \int \rho \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} - c_{ijkl} \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_j} \frac{\partial u_k}{\partial x_l}$$

replace $u = u_s + v$

get

$$S = S[X, v]$$

$\frac{\delta S}{\delta X} = 0$ gives eqn' of motn

F. Lind, J. Mater. Res. 3, 280 (83); Phys. Rev. Lett. 54, 14 (85)

action $\rightarrow$ size

$$\frac{dP}{dt} = 0$$

P = total momentum inside wire

~~1st non-vanishing~~

would short-distance behaviour. Leading term does not contribute. Need next one

$$\text{say } \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \sim b \frac{V}{r} + b \frac{VA}{c^2} \ln \frac{L}{r} = \frac{bV}{r} \left(1 + \frac{r}{c^2/A} \ln \frac{L}{r} \right)$$

$$r \ll L \ll \frac{c^2}{A} \quad \left(\frac{r}{L} \left(\frac{L}{c^2/A} \right) \right)$$

$\downarrow$
axis meaning to "small" distance.

same for $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}$

get Eqn of motion which turns out to be the same as for relat particle with mass (per unit length) $\rightarrow$ long distance cut-off

$$M = \frac{\mu b^2}{4\pi c^2} \ln \left(\frac{L}{\epsilon} \right)$$

ϵ short dist. cut-off

logarithmic dependence, not serious

Everything can be done in 3-D with
loop of arb. shape

Model III



Diaz - Lund
Philos. Mag. - to appear

Small accumulation

$$\sigma \sim \int \frac{D}{\text{dist}} + A \int D \ln \frac{L}{\text{dist}} + \frac{B}{\text{dist}}$$

zero traction on "crack" surface

Need coef of $\frac{1}{\sqrt{\text{dist}}}$ in σ near crack tip

get

$$\sigma \sim \frac{1}{\sqrt{\text{dist}}} \left(\frac{K}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \left(\frac{1-\nu/c}{1+\nu/c} \right)^{1/2} - \frac{\mu B}{\sqrt{1-\xi}} - 2\mu B A \frac{\sqrt{L}}{c^2} \right)$$

external stress
if no dislocation

dislocation shielding

dislocation-induced inertia

Energy release rate

$$= \frac{1}{2\mu} \left[\frac{K^2 (1-\nu/c)}{2\pi} - \frac{2\pi \mu B^2}{\sqrt{1-\xi}} - 2\sqrt{2\pi} L \frac{\mu B}{2\pi} \frac{A}{c^2} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\mu} \left[K^2 (1-\nu/c)^{1/2} - \sqrt{\frac{2\pi}{1-\xi}} \frac{\mu B}{2\pi} - 2\sqrt{2\pi} L \frac{\mu B}{2\pi} \frac{A}{c^2} \right]^2$$

$B=0 \Rightarrow$ Eshelby

$A=0 \Rightarrow$ Lin-Thomson (1986) J. Mat. Res. 1, 73